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RESOLUTION ON DPRK

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(U) Vitus Njiku, head of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation's Security Council Unit, told Poloff on July 10 that the Government of Tanzania (GOT) supports the Japanese-drafted UNSC resolution on the DPRK missile launches, but does not plan to co-sponsor the resolution. Poloff emphasized the importance of a strong and unified message to the DPRK and said that the more co-sponsors the resolution has, the stronger the message. Njiku then said that he would check with his bosses and get back to Poloff. In a subsequent phone conversation, Njiku confirmed that the GOT would not co-sponsor the resolution "because we don't normally do that." When asked if there was anything about the resolution that, if changed, would induce the GOT to co-sponsor, Njiku said "no."